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C O N F I D E N T I A L KAMPALA 3310

EO 11652: GDS
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SUBJECT: FRG PROTECTION OF US INTERESTS IN UGANDA

REFS: (A) BONN 15847; (B) STATE 216969

1. CONCUR ON ALL POINTS WITH REFTEL B.

2. RE PARA 1 (A) REF A, WE TOO RELY ON TELEX. ALL OTHER COMMO EQUIPMENT HAS BEEN SENT OUT OR IS GOING OUT. DEPT IS CORRECT THAT GENERAL AMIN IS NOT LIKELY TO GRASP WHAT AN INTEREST SECTION IS OR DOES. HE WOULD PROBABLY ACCUSE THE FRG EMBASSY OF CONTINUING TO HARBOR CIA SPIES HIDDEN AMONG FRG STAFF IF ANY OFFICIAL AMERICANS REMAINED BEHIND TO ASSIST FRG EMBASSY.

3. RE PARA 1 (B) REF A, IT WOULD BE A MISTAKE TO PERMIT ANY GAP BETWEEN OUR OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION OF OUR CLOSURE AND NOTIFICATION TO GOU THAT FRG IS ASSUMING RESPONSIBILITY FOR OUR INTERESTS IN UGANDA. THAT JUST ISN'T THE WAY SUCH THINGS OUGHT TO BE DONE. FRG SHOULD ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY
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AT SAME MOMENT THAT WE OFFICIALLY CEASE TO FUNCTION AS AN

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EMBASSY.

4. RE PARA 1(C) OF REF A, DON'T ASK ME TO PREDICT HOW AMIN WILL REACT AFTER ONLY TWO YEARS AND FOUR MONTHS OBSERVING HIM, BECAUSE HIS IS TOTALLY UNPREDICTABLE. HE HAS, OF COURSE, MADE MANY CHARGES ABOUT MISSIONARIES, BUT HAS THEN BACK-TRACKED. I BELIEVE DEPT IS CORRECT THAT HE WOULD PERMIT PRIVATE AMCITS TO LEAVE IN AN ORDERLY FASHION IF HE DECIDED TO KICK OUT ALL REMAINING AMCITS.

5. RE PARA 1 (D) OF REF A, WE HAVE BEEN HAVING VERY, VERY FEW AMERICAN TOURISTS SINCE BAN WAS LIFTED SEPT 17, AND WOULD EXPECT EVEN LESS ONCE IT BECOMES KNOWN EMBASSY CLOSED. WOULD NOT EXPECT THIS ASPECT TO BE A BURDEN ON FRG EMBASSY.
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